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THE PIECE-WISE OR BATCH-
WISE REFINING OF PIECES OF
A SUBSTRATE, IN
PARTICULAR A TEXTILE
SUBSTRATE, UNDER HIGH
PRESSURE

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Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this submission.

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